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| ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. 15162/01250 | | APPLICATION NO. 09/432,927 | | |
| FILING DATE November 3, 1999 | CONFIRMATION NO. 1794 | CUSTOMER NO. 2436 | EXAMINER Jerome Grant, II | GROUP ART UNIT 2626 |
| INVENTOR(S): Junji NISHIGAKI | | | | |
| TITLE OF INVENTION: IMAGE PROCESSING SYSTEM INCLUDING SYNCHRONOUS TYPE PROCESSING UNIT AND ASYNCHRONOUS TYPE PROCESSING UNIT AND IMAGE PROCESSING METHOD | | | | |

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- ☒ (A) A response to the Office Action dated: July 17, 2003
- ☐ (B) A Petition for Extension of Time
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months;
 A Petition for Extension of Time, having been previously filed,
☐ for 1 month ☐ for 2 months ☐ for 3 months
- ☐ (C) A Notice of Appeal. \$
- ☐ (D) An Appellant's Brief on Appeal. \$
- ☐ (E) Other: \$
- ☐ (F) A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR §§ 1.9 and 1.27
- ☐ Small entity status under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been previously established
- ☐ The claims fee, if any, has been calculated as shown below

| | CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT | | HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR | PRESENT EXTRA |
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| TOTAL | | MINUS | | |
| INDEP. | 4 | MINUS | 3 | 1 |
| FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEP. CLAIM | | | | |

SMALL ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|-----------------|-----------|
| x \$9 | \$ |
| x \$43 | |
| + \$145 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 0.00 |

LARGE ENTITY

| RATE | ADD'L FEE |
|-----------------|-----------|
| x \$18 | \$ |
| x \$86 | 86.00 |
| + \$290 | |
| TOTAL ADD'L FEE | \$ 86.00 |

OR

- ☒ Please charge \$86.00 to Sidley Austin Brown & Wood LLP's Deposit Account No. 18-1260, which includes
- ☒ the amount of \$86.00 for the claims fee calculated above AND/OR
- ☐ the amount of \$ for the fee for item(s) ☐ (B) ☐ (C) ☐ (D) ☐ (E) ☐ (F)
- ☒ Please charge any additional fees (other than issue fee) required during the pendency of this application to Deposit Account No. 18-1260. Please credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 18-1260.
- ☒ A duplicate copy of this Response Transmittal and Fee Authorization is enclosed.

October 13, 2003

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Applicant: Junji NISHIGAKI
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Group Art Unit: 2626
Examiner: Jerome Grant, II

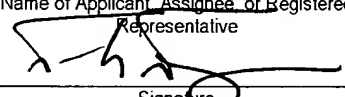
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AMENDMENT

This Amendment is filed in response to the Office Action dated July 17, 2003, which provides for a response period ending October 17, 2003.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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